Early Childhood Education-Unified
Iowa State University 2017-2018 Catalog      126 Total Credits
Meets Iowa Teacher Licensure Requirements for Prekindergarten through Third Grade
Administered jointly by the School of Education and the Department of Human Development & Family Studies

**General Education (42 credits)**

- **International Persp. And U.S. Diversity**
  
  *Not included in program credit total. Generally met through other requirements. See ECE advisor for approved lists.*
  
  - International Perspective
    - Choose an approved Humanities or Social Sciences course that meets International Perspective
  
  - U.S. Diversity
    - Satisfied with SP ED 250 or HD FS 240

- **Communications and Library (10 credits)**
  
  - ENGL 150 (3) Critical Thinking and Communication
  
  - ENGL 250 (3) Written, Oral, Visual, Electronic Comp.
  
  - LIB 160 (1) Information Literacy
  
  - Select from Communication Options** (3)

- **Humanities (9 credits)**
  
  - Select from Humanities Options** (9)

- **Social Sciences (9 credits)**
  
  - HD FS 102 (3) Individual & Family Development, Health & Well-Being
  
  - HIST 221 or HIST 222 or POL S 215 (3)
  
  - Select from Social Sciences Options** (3)

  
  - Select from Biological Sciences Options** (3)
  
  - Select from Physical Sciences Options** (3)
  
  - MATH 195 (3) Math for Elementary Education I
  
  - MATH 196 (3) Math for Elementary Education II
  
  - H S 105 (2) First Aid & Emergency Care

**Human Development & Family Studies (3.5 credits)**

- HD FS 103 (.5) Prof Principles for Working with Children
  
- HD FS 224 (3) Development in Young Children: Birth through Age 8

**Professional Education (76.5 credits)**

- **Professional Education Core (15 credits)**
  
  - C I 201 (3) Learning Technologies in the PK-6 Classroom
  
  - C I 205 (3) Social Foundations of Education in the United States
  
  - SP ED 250 (3) Education of the Exceptional Learner in a Diverse Society
  
  - C I 332 (3) Educational Psychology of Young Learners
  
  - C I 405 (3) Multicultural Foundations of School & Society: Introduction

- **Preprimary Education (24 credits)**
  
  - HD FS 240 (3) Literature for Children
  
  - HD FS 340 (4) Assessment and Curricula: Ages Birth through 2 Years
  
  - HD FS 342 (3) Guidance and Group Management in Early Childhood
  
  - HD FS 343 (4) Assessment and Programming: Ages 3 through 6 Years
  
  - HD FS 345 (3) Adapting Programming in Inclusive Settings
  
  - HD FS 455 (4) Curricula for Ages 3 through 6 Years
  
  - HD FS 456 (3) Working with Families in Early Intervention

- **Primary Inclusive (21 credits)**
  
  - C I 245 (3) Strategies in Teaching
  
  - C I 377 (4) The Teaching of Reading and Language Arts in the Primary Grades (K-3)
  
  - SP ED 368 (1) Teaching in Inclusive Primary Settings
  
  - C I 468F (1) Pre-Student Teaching Experience II: Primary Grades Inclusive, Literacy
  
  - C I 433 (2) Teaching Social Studies in the Primary Grades
  
  - SP ED 355 (2) Classroom Assessment in Inclusive Primary Settings
  
  - C I 438 (2) Teaching Mathematics in the Primary Grades
  
  - C I 439 (2) Teaching Science in the Primary Grades
  
  - C I 468G (1) Pre-Student Teaching Experience II: Primary Grades Inclusive, Mathematics
  
  - C I 468I (1) Pre-Student Teaching Experience II: Primary Grades Inclusive, Science
  
  - SP ED 455 (2) Instructional Methods for Inclusive Primary Settings

- **Student Teaching (16.5 credits)**
  
  - C I 416A (8) Supervised Student Teaching – Elementary: Primary Grades (K-3)
  
  - HD FS 417C (8) Supervised Student Teaching, Early Childhood Special Education Programs
  
  - HD FS 418A (.5) Prof Practice Reflection/Discussion: Teaching

- **Orientation (2 credits)**
  
  - HD FS 110 (1) Freshman Learning Community Orientation (Required for 1st Year Freshman only)
  
  - HD FS 208 (1) ECE Teacher Orientation (Required)

- **Electives (1-3 credits, as needed to equal 126 credits)**

- **World Language**
  
  - Two or more years of high school foreign language in one language
  
  - OR one year of university level foreign language in same language or American Sign Language

**See Approved ECE Options sheet for list of courses to choose from**